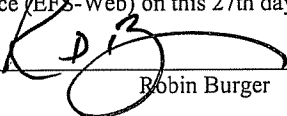


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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Dear Sir:

This is a response to the Final Office Action mailed April 29, 2010, for which the un-extended period for response ends on July 29, 2010. Applicants are responding before the un-extended due date. While it is believed that no additional fees are associated with the filing of this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees incurred as a result of entering this response to deposit account number 03-0172.

Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.